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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for: ☐ One Month ☐ Three Months M Two Months ☐ Four Months ☐ Five Months The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$490.00 Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. \boxtimes Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application. A verified small entity statement \square has been filed. \square is enclosed. Also enclosed is a: ■ Response Request for Continued Examination (RCE) ☐ Appeal Brief 23364 Respectfully submitted, Customer Number Phone: (703) 683-0500 eargof Loud DATE: May 24, 2010 George A Loud Attorney for Applicant

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